TRAVANCORE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY TRIVANDRUM

PROCEEDINGS
of the
THE TRAVANCORE SRI MULAM ASSEMBLY.

(OFFICIAL REPORT.)

FIRST ASSEMBLY.

SEVENTH SESSION.

Tuesday, the 12th November 1935/26th Thulam 1111.

The Assembly met in the Victoria Jubilee Town Hall at Eleven of the Clock, with Khan Bahadur Sir Muhammed Habibullah Sahib Bahadur, K. C. S. I., K. C. I. E., Kt. L. L. D., the Dewan-President in the chair.

NEW MEMBERS SWORN IN.

The following members took the oath and signed the Rolls :—

1. Mr. C. V. Chandrasekharan
2. Dr. M. K. Gopala Pillai
3. Mr. M. Govinda Pillai
4. Mr. M. L. Janardanan Pillai
5. Rao Sahib Dr. N. Kunjan Pillai
6. Mr. P. C. Kurien
7. Mr. C. O. Madhavan
8. Mr. P. S. Mahomed
9. Mr. R. Nilakanta Pillai
10. Mr. N. K. Padmanabha Pillai
11. Mr. Kayalam Parameswaran Pillai
12. Mr. R. Pitchu Aiyangar.

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS.

Elevation of depressed classes.

1 *MR. R. SIVARAMAN NAIR (*Tiruvalla II*) : With reference to the following paragraph in the Annual Report of the work of the Protector of Depressed Classes for 1109 M. E:—

> "I had also to devote some attention to save the poor people from the merciless oppression and tyranny of their so-called leaders. This has to some extent created discontent among many of them and some of them offered open opp si-tion towards the efforts of Government in their work of ameliorating the condition of depressed classes. The services of the prominent men among depressed classes, instead of being helpful, have, for the most part, been a positive hindrance to the elevation of the people of their own community.",

will the Government be pleased to state:

(*a*) the names of the so-called leaders from whose merciless oppression and tyranny the Protector had to devote some attention to save the poor people ;

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